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**BRADEN FOR SENATE,
A Candidate's Committee,
AND
RANDY BRADEN,
Candidate.**

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**ORDER to RESCIND
CIVIL PENALTY ASSESSMENT**

The Braden for Senate committee was previously assessed a \$200 civil penalty for failing to timely file a May 30, 2008, supplementary report.

Part of what lead to the report being filed after the deadline was confusion over earmarked contributions and pledged contributions from a PAC to the Braden for Senate committee. The Board has initiated procedural changes to assist everyone involved in removing this source of confusion.

Therefore, on September 2, 2008, the Iowa Ethics and Campaign Disclosure Board hereby rescinds the previously issued Civil Penalty Assessment Order and no penalty is due or owing for the report in question.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

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